

EXPANDED PLASTIC RECYCLING

You can now recycle margarine tubs, yogurt cups, plastic squeeze bottles, peanut butter jars, ice cream and kitty litter type buckets in the City's program. The program has been expanded to include any non-bottle plastic container that is plastic type #2 through #5. All plastic bottles (containers with narrow-necks) regardless of the plastic type, can still be recycled in the program

The plastic type identification code is usually located on the bottom of the container.

All plastic **bottles** can be accepted in the City's recycling collection. To determine if a plastic container that is not a bottle can be recycled in our program, please check the plastic code - if it is # 2,3,4, or 5 - it can be recycled. If it is #1 or #6 - it cannot be recycled.

Takoma Park's program uses the Montgomery County processing facility for all bottles and cans. The City relies on several vendors for the processing of paper collected for recycling.